## QUESTIONS FOR ANSWERS ON THE DAY.

**(but not taken up).**

### Prohibition offences in Hassan District.

*Q.*—24. Sri B. N. BORANNA GOWDA (Belur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of prohibition cases launched in Hassan District from January 1, 1954 up to the end of September 1954 under the following Heads: (i) Toddy, (ii) Arrack, (iii) Brandy, (iv) Ganja and Opium;

(*b*) how many smuggling cases were detected by the Police and also by the Excise Officers;

(*c*) whether there are any cases recommended by the Excise Officer for withdrawal and how many of them have been withdrawn;

(*d*) the reason assigned by the Excise Officer to withdraw such cases ?

*A.*—Sri T. CHANNIAH (Minister for Public Health and Local Self-Government).—

| | | No. |
|---|---|---|
| (*a*) | (i) Toddy ... | 176 |
| | (ii) Arrack ... | 113 |
| | (iii) Brandy ... | 6 |
| | (iv) Ganja and Opium ... | 10 |

(*b*) Seven cases relating to unauthorised possession and transport of liquors have been reported. Of these seven cases, six cases were reported by the Police and one by the Excise.

(*c*) Nil.

(*d*) Does not arise in view of reply to (*c*).

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### Compensation payable to Ryots for lands acquired in Sangenahalli, Gadimakunte and Thuppadahalli Tank Works.

*Q.*—81. Sri J. MOHAMED IMAM (Jagalur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether they are aware that the compensation payable to the raiyats for the lands acquired in Sangenahalli, Gadimakunte and Thuppadahalli tank works still remain unpaid;

(*b*) when did the acquisition proceedings start;

(*c*) in what stage they are pending?

*A.*—Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue and Public Works).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) (1) Sangenahalli tank, during October 1953.

(2) Gadimakunte tank, during August 1952.

(3) Thuppadahalli, tank, during April 1953.

(*c*) Sanction of Government has been obtained for acquisition proceedings in respect of all the tank works. The records are at the stage of passing awards.

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### Bangalore Transport Company (Nationalization).

*Q.*—165. Sri M. PALANIYAPPAN (Ulsoor).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether it is a fact that they have proposed to nationalize the Bangalore Transport Company;

(*b*) if so, what progress they have made in that direction;

(*c*) the period required by them to nationalize the same ?

*A.*—Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA (Minister for Home and Industries).—

(*a*) The question is under active consideration of Government.

(*b*) The question is being examined.

(*c*) Soon after a decision is taken by Government.

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### Village Reserve Scheme in Visvesvaraya Canal Area.

*Q.*—181. Sri B. Y. NEELE GOWDA (Pandavapura).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether it is a fact that there are representations to Government to

revise the Village Reserve Scheme in Visvesvaraya Canal area;

(*b*) the steps taken by them;

(*c*) when this scheme was introduced?

*A.*—Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue and Public Works).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) All such representations are being referred to the Health Standing Committee of the Visvesvaraya Canal Area Board for disposal on merits after inspection or discussion as the case may be.

(*c*) During 1941-42.

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**Fresh Irrigation Works in Holalkere Taluk.**

*Q.*—190. Sri G. SIVAPPA (Holalkere).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the fresh irrigation works for which requests have been made by the public in Holalkere Taluk;

(*b*) the stage of each of them?

*A.*—Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue and Public Works).—

(*a*) and (*b*)

1. Construction of a new tank across Gajarihalla near Kagalagere, Holalkere Taluk; A project for Rs. 3,67,000 got up for the work is under scrutiny.

2. Construction of a new tank near Dogganahal, Holalkere Taluk; A project for Rs. 1,25,000 is prepared.

3. Construction of a new tank near B.-Durga, Holalkere Taluk; An estimate for Rs. 60,000 is under consideration of Government.

4. Opening a feeder channel to Hulemalali and Kungali tank, Holalkere Taluk; An estimate for Rs. 60,000 got up for the work is being examined.

5. Improving Holalkere Hirikere feeder channel, Holalkere Taluk; An estimate for Rs. 44,000 got up for the work is being examined so as to get up a comprehensive proposal.

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**Registered Money-lenders.**

*Q.*—196. Sri K. SINGARI GOWDA (Nagamangala).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the number of money-lenders in Mysore State who obtained licence in the year 1940;

(*b*) the amount of licence fees recovered during that year;

(*c*) the number of renewals in each year up to 1954?

*A.*—Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue and Public Works).—

(*a*) The number of applications registered under Section 5 of the Money Lenders Act in the year 1940 was 23,301.

(*b*) The amount of Registration fee (not the licence fee) recovered in the form of stamp duty was Rs. 99,509-12.0.

| (*c*) *Year* | | *Number of renewals* |
|---|---|---|
| 1940 | ... | Nil |
| 1941 | ... | 26 |
| 1942 | ... | 15 |
| 1943 | ... | 58 |
| 1944 | ... | 335 |
| 1945 | ... | 78 |
| 1946 | ... | 162 |
| 1947 | ... | 312 |
| 1948 | ... | 143 |
| 1949 | ... | 471 |
| 1950 | ... | 360 |
| 1951 | ... | 301 |
| 1952 | ... | 289 |
| 1953 | ... | 552 |
| 1954 | ... | 423 |

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**Scheduled Castes (Reservation of appointments).**

*Q.*—229. Sri G. PUTTASWAMY (Chikmagalur-Mudigere—Scheduled Castes).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether the Government Order, *re.* reservation of 16 2/3 per cent of appointments for Scheduled Castes has been implemented;